

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

Please replace the claims with the claims provided in the listing below wherein status, amendments, additions and cancellations are indicated.

1. (Currently Amended) A transmitter used for a remote-control system, the system being capable of separately controlling a plurality of drives ~~by relating a transmitter with a drive to be remote-controlled by the data sent from the transmitter in accordance with identification information included in the data, the~~ transmitter comprising:

an input unit for accepting identification information of one of a plurality of possibilities for transmission to and storage in a drive of the plurality of drives, command information for effecting rewriting of the identification information in the, and drive control information for operating the drive;

a data generation device for alternatively generating ~~[[the]]~~ operating data including the identification information and the drive control information for controlling operations of the drive or ~~[[the]]~~ rewriting data including the identification information for changing the identification information for the drive in accordance with operations of ~~a predetermined~~ the input unit performed by a user and the command information;

a transmission device including a first transmission section and a second transmission section whose transmission-destination areas are different from each other and capable of transmitting the data generated through the data generation device from the first and second transmission sections; and

a transmission-section change device for ~~changing setting which of the first and second~~ changing setting which of the first and second transmission sections from which ~~the data will be~~ the data is transmitted in accordance with ~~the type of data whether the operating data or the rewriting data is generated by the data generation device~~ whether the operating data or the rewriting data is generated by the data generation device so that the operating data for controlling operations of the drive will be transmitted from the first transmission section and the rewriting data for changing the identification information for the drive will be transmitted from the second transmission section.

2. (Original) The transmitter according to claim 1, wherein the second transmission section is provided on a front side of a casing of the transmitter, while the first transmission section is provided on a back side thereof, when the transmitter is viewed from the user.

3. (Currently Amended) The transmitter according to claim 1, wherein a concave portion capable of housing the drive is formed ~~[[on]]~~ in a transmitter ~~[[the]]~~ casing and the second transmission section is provided in the concave

portion such that the rewriting data is transmitted to the drive when the drive is in the concave portion.

4. (Currently Amended) The transmitter according to claim 3, wherein the concave portion ~~can be sealed by a predetermined~~ has a lid for closing the concave portion while housing the drives.

5. (Currently Amended) The transmitter according to claim 3, wherein charge terminals for charging a power-source battery of the drive ~~[[is]]~~ are provided in the concave portion such that charging is effected while the rewriting data is transmitted to the drive when the drive is in the concave portion.

6. (Original) The transmitter according to claim 1, wherein the first and second transmission sections serve as infrared-radiation-emitting sections.

7. (New) The transmitter according to claim 4, wherein the second transmission section is an infrared-radiation-emitting section and the lid blocks infrared transmissions.

8. (New) The transmitter according to claim 4, wherein charge terminals for charging a power-source battery of the drive are provided in the concave portion such that charging is effected while the rewriting data is transmitted to the drive when the drive is in the concave portion.

9. (New) The transmitter according to claim 8, wherein the second transmission section is an infrared-radiation-emitting section and the lid blocks infrared transmissions.

10. (New) The transmitter according to claim 1, wherein the operating data and the rewriting data each commonly formatted to include sections for accommodating the identification information, the drive control information, and the command information and the command information indicates whether data storage is to be effected.